

BANGALORE TOWN MUNICIPALITY.

Copy of Proceedings of the Town Municipal Commission at a Meeting held on Friday the 30th May 1884 at 7½ A. M.

President.

Present.—Captain A. H. Macintire.

Ex-Officio Members.

Present.—The Amildar of Bangalore.

Absent.—The Executive Engineer, Bangalore Divn.
The Surgeon to the Mysore Government.

Municipal Commissioners.

1st Division, Balé Pettah.

Present.—B. Murry Gungiah, Esq.

A. S. Raghavachar, Esq.

2nd Division, Manavarte Pettah.

Present.—Khazi Abid Shariff Sahib, Esq.

Honorary Vice-President.

Present.—A. Srinivasachar, Esq.

3rd Division, Alsur Pettah.

Absent.—P. Changalraya Mudaliar, Esq.

S. V. Annaiyappa Chetti, Esq.

4th Division, Nagarta Pettah.

Present.—Doddi Venkataramana Chetti, Esq.

B. Narayana Chetti, Esq.

5th Division, Kalasipalyam.

Present.—C. Muttusami Naidu, Esq.

M. Ramaswami Chetti, Esq.

6th Division, High Ground.

Absent.—E. Sidney Smith, Esq.

H. J. Bhabha, Esq., M. A.

I. The usual monthly accounts for April 1884 are laid before the Board, read and duly passed.

Ordered.—That the following cash accounts be submitted to the Comptroller of Mysore:—

Cash Account Current of the Municipal Commission for the Town of Bangalore for the month of April 1884.

Receipts.	Amount.	Expenditure.	Amount.
Cash Balance brought forward from last month's account ...	10,061 10 3	I. Collection. { 1. For octroi tax ... 233 5 7 2. Mohatarfa tax on houses, buildings & lands and for tax on professions and trades. ... 174 10 7 7. Rents assigned to Municipality ... 29 1 6	
I. Octroi. { 1. Dry and green cocoanuts. ... 6. Tobacco and betel-leaves. ...		II. Head Office Charges ... 218 1 1	
II. Tax on houses, buildings and lands. .	2,253 10 10	III. Public Works. { 1. Supervision ... 63 12 0 2. (a) Original works ... 18 6 4 (b) Repairing suburban roads. 136 11 0 (c) Compensation for houses. 13 0 0 3. Repairs ... 762 2 11	
III. Tax on professions and trades— " Shops ... 1,322 0 0 " Oil mills ... 85 0 0 " Looms ... 1,230 8 6		IV. Supervision and Management—Salary and Allowance of Officers ... 265 0 0	
License fees on liquor shops. ... 428 0 0 Other miscellaneous licenses — (a.) On carts ... 36 0 0 (b.) Tobacco licenses ... 59 8 0		V. Education—1. Town Municipal School.. 267 15 6 2. Schools Grants-in-aid ... 760 0 0	
VII. Rents.—2. Nazul Shops (Markets) ... 385 2 9		{ 1. Dispensary and Medical charges ... 271 14 9 2. Animal Vaccination ... 164 0 0 3. Vaccination ... 18 12 0 4. Maternity.. ... 129 12 0 5. Government Chuttrum ... 63 9 9 Langarkhana ... 150 0 0 Orphanage ... 157 0 0	
IX. Extraordinary.—5. Other items ...		VII. Conservancy ... 1,281 11	
XI. Pounds ... 63 15 8		VIII. Road watering ... 84 0 10	
XII. Miscellaneous ... 135 0 3		IX. Lighting... ... 231 5 0	
Other items.—Fees from Town Municipal School ... 189 4 0		X. Gardens ... 15 0 0	
		{ 3. Cattle Pound charges ... 34 15 4 4. Statistics and mortuary registration ... 32 8 0 5. Reward to snake killers... 0 12 0 6. Other miscellaneous items ... 162 15 5	
Total Receipts.....	6,188 2 0	Total Rupees.....	5,740 2 6
Grand Total Rs.....	16,249 12 3	To Cash Balance carried to next month's accounts.....	10,509 9 9
		Grand Total Rs.....	16,249 12 3

Mortuary Register, Bangalore.

Statement of Births and Deaths within the Town Municipal limits during the month of April 1884 :—

Causes of Death.	Europeans.		East Indians.		Musalmáns.		Hindus.		Native Christians.		Buddhists.		Other Classes.		Total.		Total in—		Difference.		
	M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		April 1884. March 1884.		Increase. Decrease.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	April 1884.	March 1884.	Increase.	Decrease.	
Cholera
Small-pox	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	6	2	4	...	...
Fevers	6	4	14	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	16	36	40	...	4	
Bowel-complaints	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	3	2	...	...
Injuries—
Suicide
Wounding
Accident	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...
Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts.
Other Causes—
Consumption	1	...	5	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	12	6	6	...	...
Convulsion	1	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	8	4	4	...	...
Dropsy	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	3	...	1	...
Lock-jaw	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	2	1	...	...
Rheumatism	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	6	...	4	...
Asthma	1	4	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7	11	10	1	...	...
Old age	1	1	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8	9	8	1	...	...
Born dead	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...
Croup	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	5	...	2	...	...
Diarrhoea	1	...	1	...	...
Ulcér	1	...	1	...	...
Hydrophobia	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...
Total Other Causes.....	1	...	2	4	16	28	...	1	...	...	...	19	33	52	46	6	...	...	...	...	...
Total Deaths.....	1	...	9	10	35	44	...	1	...	...	...	45	55	100	91	9	...	...	...	...	...
Total Number of Births.....	9	11	53	55	...	1	...	...	...	62	67	129	117	12	...	...	...	...	...

Abstract of Mortuary Report and Percentage of Births and Deaths on the estimated Population, 62,311.

Classes.	Births.		Differ- ence.	Percent- age of Births.		Deaths.		Differ- ence.	Percent- age of Deaths.		REMARKS.
	April 1884.	March 1884.		April 1884.	March 1884.	April 1884.	March 1884.		April 1884.	March 1884.	
Europeans	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	There were 100 deaths during the month, 6 from small-pox, 36 from fevers, 5 from bowel-complaints, 1 from injury and 52 from other causes (as detailed in the previous page.) The number of deaths in April 1884, as compared with that of March 1884, are as follows:— Of Musalmáns 19 against 20, Hindus 79 against 68, Native Christians 1 against 3, Europeans 1 against none, being 9 above the previous month, and 27 above the total number of deaths registered in the corresponding month of last year.
East Indians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Musalmáns	20	20	...	23	23	19	20	1	22	23	Age.
Hindus	108	97	11	205	18	79	68	11	15	12	
Native Christians	1	1	...	99	...	1	3	2	69	27	Age.
Buddhists	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Classes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Age.
Total...	129	117	12	207	18	100	91	12	16	14	

Resolution.—Approved.

II. List of works sanctioned by the President during the month.

No.	Names of Work.	Amount.
1	Constructing a stone well for Chucklers at Magadi road	107 0 0
2	Constructing a small sewage reservoir at Dobbs Petta	40 0 0
3	Constructing a thatched shed in Pettah Dispensary	100 0 0
Total Rupees..		247 0 0

Resolution.—Approved.

III. Statement showing the progress of works during the month.

Resolution.—Approved.

IV. Report of the Committee regarding the several items of estimated income and expenditure for 1884—85.

Resolved.—That the budget be revised accordingly and submitted to Government for sanction with an explanatory letter from the President.

V. Report of Municipal Commissioners, No. IV Division, with reference to resolution passed at the Board's Meeting held on the 25th April 1884.

Resolved.—That the well be purchased at a cost of Rs. 240 for use of the public.

Additional Propositions.

I. Petition from Ibrahim Bég and others of Bangalore requesting to construct a Fire-wood Market for them from Municipal Funds.

Resolution.—Sanctioned, and that the President with the assistance of the Municipal Commissioner, No. II Division, be authorized to select a suitable site for the erection of the building and that Rs. 500 be spent on the work.

II. Report from Messrs. P. Changalraya Mudaliar and M. Ramaswami Chetti, Municipal Commissioners, with reference to resolution passed by the Board at a meeting held on the 29th March 1884.

Resolution.—A monthly grant of Rs. 4 be sanctioned under the same conditions as that for the Vernacular school near the Barr Lines.

A. H. MACINTIRE,
President, Town Ml. Commn.

Season Report of the Mysore District for the month of April 1884.

Rain.—Rain-fall general throughout the District; the average quantity registered being 1 inch 11½ cents.

Crops.—Standing crops good: kar ragi, cholam, paddy, green and black-gram and sesamum were sown during the month, while sugar-cane was harvested.

Cattle.—The District has been free from murrain. But the loss of cattle from other causes was 1,428.

Prices.—The prices of food articles were: 1st sort rice 12 seers; 2nd sort 13 seers, ragi 30 seers and horse-gram 25 seers per rupee.

N. CHELVIENGAR,
for Dy. Commissioner.

SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1884.

Bangalore District.

Rain-fall.—Two inches and 35 cents of rain were gauged in the Town of Bangalore.

Crops.—The standing crops were in good condition. Ploughing operations were in progress. Sugar-cane and punaji paddy were sown in some parts and Vaisakha paddy harvested.

Health.—Good. Fever prevailed in some of the villages of the Nelamangala Taluk.

Cattle.—Healthy. A few cases of murrain occurred in the Hoskote and Magadi Taluks. 2,187 head of cattle died from all causes; of these 207 were destroyed by wild beasts.

Mortality.—There were 597 deaths in the month of April against 569 in March being an increase of 28. The deaths were chiefly from fever.

Lands.—Lands assessed at Rs. 3,365—10—1 were taken up for cultivation, and those bearing an assessment of Rs. 959—8—8 were relinquished.

A. H. MACINTIRE,
Dy. Commissioner.